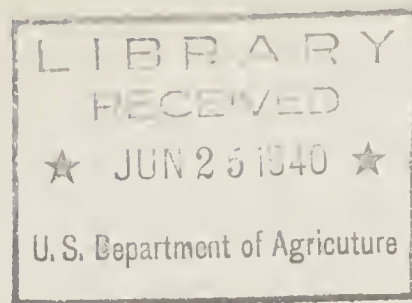


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A L A B A M A

Blanche Bachelor, Escambia County, began her club work at the age of 10. Her most noteworthy accomplishments have been in darning, canning, cooking, clothing, home improvement, health, and poultry. This year she is preparing a calf for the fat stock show. She is also working hard to win the State oratorical contest. Blanche owns a cow, 2 calves, 30 hens, and some furniture as a result of her club projects. She is president of the State 4-H Council.

Virginia Heaton, Butler County, is in her sixth year of 4-H Club work, and has completed projects in sewing, handicraft, bread making, foods, food preservation, home improvement, poultry, gardening, and dairy. She has taken part in dress revues and judging activities, and has influenced 75 persons to become club members. Virginia has filled all the offices of her club and is now president of the county council.

Russell Scott, Mobile County, has had 7 years of experience in forestry, wildlife conservation, calf, corn soybeans, and pasture as a result of club work. He took part in livestock judging, and after becoming a leader he organized a judging team. He has sponsored about 40 planting projects, and nearly every year has shown his dairy cows and calves in county and State fairs. He has served as president of his local club and of the county council.

Fred Sumners, Elmore County, has enjoyed many trips since becoming a club member 4 years ago. He has taken part in dairy-cattle judging and in dairy demonstrations, and has exhibited his cattle at the State fairs. Fred has been president, vice president, and secretary-treasurer of his local club, president of the boys' council, vice president of the joint council, and president of the county 4-H calf club. He owns 10 head of cattle, 19 pigs, 150 hens, a small orchard, and has improved 8 acres of pasture.

A R I Z O N A

Zola Frances Watkins, Pima County, has done good work in sewing, music appreciation, news reporting, baking, knitting, and health during her 10 years of club membership. She has been a club leader for 3 years. Her club enterprises have been exhibited at several fairs. She has demonstrated sewing problems before her local club, judged sewing in the State round-up, and modeled dresses in style revues. The members of her club have chosen her at different times to serve as their president and as their secretary.

A R K A N S A S

Sloan Dawson, Lawrence County, has raised potatoes, cotton, corn, swine, and beef calves in his 5 years of club work. He has 17 Duroc Jersey hogs, 5 of which are registered. He placed several years as a member of the livestock-judging team at the State fair. Sloan is now president of the county council and has filled other offices in the council, as well as those in his local club.

William Alvas Estes, Marion County, has been active in many phases of 4-H work during 6 years' membership. His projects have included peanuts, sweetpotatoes, peas, corn, popcorn, soybeans, oats, cane, beef calf, dairy, and swine. He now has 6 head of livestock. He was a member of the State dairy-production team in 1938, and a club leader for 1 year. William has occupied the office of president of the county council and served on the management committee for several years.

Marie Kaufman, Conway County, for 9 years a club member, lives on a 1,000-acre farm. Through her 4-H work she has furnished her bedroom, improved her clothes, earned her spending money, and helped beautify her home. She has participated in team demonstrations and judging contests, and has exhibited her canned products and bedroom furnishings. Marie has filled many local club offices as well as county offices, and has been a local leader for a year.

Dena Waddell, Lawrence County, first became interested in club work 6 years ago and has made wonderful progress in gardening, canning, clothing, cooking, and home improvement. The last named covers both landscaping and changes inside the house. She has been an active member of the judging team, and has won recognition many times on the excellent quality of clothing she has made. Dena has occupied the offices of president, secretary, and reporter of her club and has served as song and recreational leader. She also has filled county offices.

C O L O R A D O

Ruth Anne Cuykendall, Weld County, has proved herself capable in diversified phases of club work during her 8 years of membership. She has been successful in clothing, crops, foods, beef steer, dairying, and turkeys. She has cooked for the farm, kept records on her dairy cow, and has learned to keep the records of the registered animals on the farm. She is a member of the stock-judging and the clothing-judging teams. She has been assistant leader and is now leader of a sewing club.

Bob Hurst, La Plata County, living on a 400-acre farm, has been interested in potatoes, beans, chickens, pigs and calves for the past 9 years. He is a member of the livestock-judging team, and with a teammate he gave a demonstration at the State fair on "Keeping records of a dairy herd." He plans to begin his junior leadership next year.

Barbara Ann Prendergast, Larimer County, is a leader in her community, and has been in club work 7 years. She has been interested in foods, clothing, home furnishing, poultry, swine, rabbits, dairy calf, and garden. She has been on county and State judging teams, and has participated in the county style revue for 5 years. She planned the annual 4-H community program and three demonstrations and arranged an old-fashioned dance. Barbara filled the offices of president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, and song leader in her club.

Darrell W. Sumner, Montrose County, began club work 8 years ago with sheep. Later he added dairy calf, potatoes, steer, garden, potatoes, and corn. He has been named Master 4-H Club Boy in his county for the past 4 years. He occupied the offices of president, secretary, reporter, assistant leader, and leader of his local club. For the past 3 years he has been a member of the community-booth committee. Darrel now owns 154 head of livestock, most of which are registered sheep.

C O N N E C T I C U T

Willard H. Bristol, Hartford County, is now leader of the 4-H Club which he joined in 1934. It started as a poultry and garden club, but since has added dairy, swine, turkey, and forestry projects. The members organized a forest fire fighting crew which has seen some active service. Willard has given many successful demonstrations, particularly in poultry work, and last year he and his brother were given a rating of superior demonstrators in Cleveland. In addition to holding offices in his local club, Willard has acted as superintendent of the pet show and as assistant superintendent of gate and treasurer of the county fair.

Margaret Gray, Windham County, became acquainted with 4-H work in 1934 when she helped a group of girls to organize a club. The training received through her projects has been put to practical use in her home. She has done a lot of judging and demonstration work both at county and State fairs. Last year she attended the county 4-H camp as junior counselor and was chosen Camp Spirit, which entitles her to attend this year as a guest. Margaret has assisted with recreational programs of various organizations in the community. She has served as president, secretary, treasurer, and reporter, and has not missed a club meeting in 5 years.

Jean Hinman, Hartford County, finds that her 7 years of 4-H membership have developed in her a sense of responsibility, along with qualities of cooperation and leadership, all of which has helped prepare her to be director of the 4-H fair this year. Jean has been leader of a group of girls for the past 2 years, with all members completing their projects. She has entered exhibits in cooking, sewing, and room improvement in the fair, and has taken part in several dress revues. As violinist she has assisted in community minstrels and pageants. Jean served in all the offices in her club.

Harry D. Pattee, Jr., New Haven County, became a club member at the age of 8, but did not become really active until about 3 years later when his father gave him a purebred calf. Harry kept records on this animal for 5 years. He has put on prize-winning exhibits and demonstrations, and has served as leader of a group of boys doing outstanding work. For some years past he has been connected with the county 4-H fair association, and served it as vice president last year. Since September of 1939 he has been managing a poultry farm consisting of 1,300 layers and 1,600 young stock. Last winter at a square dance, in the absence of a professional prompter, Harry took over and did a splendid job.

D E L A W A R E

Christine McGinnis, Kent County, was enrolled in club work 6 years ago, and through it she has learned to make her own clothes and to prepare well-balanced meals. She has refurnished 3 rooms in her home and started raising pigs in order to finance her advanced education. Christine has judged in breads, demonstrated salad making, and exhibited her muffins, biscuits, and cakes. She has been president, vice president, secretary, reporter, and chairman of the program committee in her local club. She served as leader for over 2 years.

Irvin Nelson Pinder, New Castle County, has carried projects in corn, dairy, poultry, wildlife, potato, and swine during his 6 years in club work. He exhibited corn, potatoes, and a purebred heifer at the State fair, and took part in State dairy demonstrations and in corn-judging contests. Irvin has done much toward making his club a wide awake organization, having served as president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, reporter, and as chairman of numerous committees. Last year he was elected secretary and treasurer in the Order of Links, and he also held the same office in the junior council.

Myrtle Gertrude Reynolds, Sussex County, has been a 4-H Club member for 10 years, devoting her time to sewing, cooking, canning, and home improvement. Last year she kept a personal expense account and learned the fine points in budgeting. She has exhibited at the county fair for 7 years, has judged at several of them, and has taken part in style revues. Myrtle is leader of a 4-H Club with 12 members and president of the county council.

Stephen C. Vaughn, Sussex County, has gotten much pleasure from the trips his 7 years of club work have afforded him. He has raised ducks, bees, quail, and pigs, and his garden has produced fine quality tomatoes and peas. He and his father are in partnership in the pig raising business, and each one is satisfied with the results. Stephen now has 8 hogs, 2 hives of bees, and money for his college fund as a result of his 4-H activities. He is a member of the band and the chorus in his school, and is active in sports.

F L O R I D A

Glen Davis, Escambia County, is in his seventh year of club work, having been interested in pigs, corn, cotton, potatoes, peanuts, cane, and calves. His records on these projects have won for him many worth-while trips. He has been president, secretary-treasurer, vice president, and reporter of his local club, and president of the county council. He owns 2 cows, 3 hogs, and 60 chickens.

Evelyn Haynes, Pinellas County, is now in her fifth year of club membership. She has done excellent work in canning, clothing, bees, calf, pig, poultry, food preparation, and home improvement. Her record book placed second in State competition. She has exhibited at all county fairs and achievement days, and placed first in the county dress revue one year. She has been a leading force in her club, has held practically all the club offices, and has been chairman of a number of committees.

Mary Lucy Hughes, Dade County, started her club work 6 years ago with clothing and gardening projects. Since then she has won many honors, including scholarships, ribbons, trips, cash awards, and a gold watch. Her accomplishments placed first in the State home-beautification contest one year. She was chosen "best all-round girl" in her class in school and also in the county. Mary Lucy has held offices in the club each year and is now serving as president. She is garden chairman in the county council this year.

David Harold Littleton, Lake County, has learned much of value during his 6 years of club membership. Through his judging activities he has learned to recognize and appreciate the better breeds of poultry and livestock. Through demonstrations he has learned newer practical methods of farming. He has also learned to select the best and then do an extra bit of grooming in showing exhibits. David has over 100 chickens and several handicraft objects--products of his own work. He has filled practically all his local club offices, has been president of the county council, and a representative on the State council.

G E O R G I A

Ralph Maddox, Dodge County, has been a club member 8 years, and in his own words "they have been years of experience and learning." He selected corn as his first project and has grown it every year. This has helped to finance his other work - pigs, forestry, cotton, and home beautification. In 1937 he thinned 15 acres of young pine, and during the following year he planted another acre in pines. Ralph owns at present 17 hogs and 2 dairy cows. He served as president and vice president of his club, president of the county council, and chairman of the 4-H fair committee.

Hubert Mikell, Wayne County, was enrolled in 4-H Club work in the fall of 1935, and his one regret is his failure to join years earlier. Therefore, he has tried to make up for this loss of time in his projects consisting of cotton, corn, pigs, beef calf, home-grounds improvement, rural electrification, forestry, and wildlife conservation. The last has included bees and quail. He is leading a community project in landscaping the grounds of a church. He assisted in putting on the county fair and in setting up 4-H exhibits, and his yard-improvement and wildlife-conservation activities have stimulated the interest of others in his community in furthering the work. He is president of the county council this year.

Roberta Mobley, Liberty County, began 4-H Club work in 1934 and has learned, earned, and played as she grew up. She raises vegetables for home consumption and sells the surplus. She grows the fruit she cans each year and maintains a flock of poultry large enough to supply the family with eggs and furnish some for marketing. She can take complete charge of the household when occasion demands. Roberta was State winner in the home-grounds beautification contest in 1938, and last year she won first place in the county dress revue. She has occupied both local and county offices and is president of the county council.

Rose Mary Wynn, Wheeler County, has been a 4-H member for 7 busy years. She has a garden from which she has canned large quantities of vegetables, and each year her orchard increases in size. She has given demonstrations, exhibited in county and State fairs, and participated many times in dress revues. As a result of her work she was selected as delegate to the State 4-H council last year, this being only one of several trips awarded her. Rose Mary served as secretary and president of her club and as assistant leader for 1 year.

I L L I N O I S

Marian Boardman, Rock Island County, began her 4-H Club activities 9 years ago by showing a dairy calf in the agriculture club. Since then she has transferred her efforts to sewing, and has won many honors with her exhibits of clothing and by her participation in demonstrations. Marian has served her club as president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer, and has acted as chairman of various committees in the club.

Ruth Elizabeth Mitchell, Williamson County, finds the value of the training she has received in her 10 years of club work in cooking, sewing, room improvement, gardening, and home beautification increasing as each year passes. She makes practically all her own clothes and does much of the canning, baking, and cooking when she is at home. For 5 years she was a member of a successful club demonstration team. Ruth has been president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, and reporter of her local club and a member of the county federation for 2 years, besides serving on numerous committees.

Harlan E. Reusch, Jo Daviess County, is completing his eleventh year in 4-H Club work--years filled with work and achievement. His experiences in judging and giving demonstrations are the ones that stand out clearest in his memory. It is his desire, through leadership, to put back into 4-H for the younger members, all it has given him and more. Harlan owns a young herd of Guernseys and half interest in a flock of 150 chickens. He has been president of his local club and of the county federation.

Robert Summers, Sangamon County, entered 4-H Club work 9 years ago with 3 Hampshire barrows and a Belgian colt, and last year he had 17 ewes, 17 lambs, 6 Shorthorn steers, 9 barrows, 40 acres of hybrid corn, and 25 acres of soybeans. He has shown either hogs or calves at the State fair for 7 years and has received many premiums on them. His work has also included livestock and corn judging and demonstrations, conservation, and farm management. Robert has been president, vice president, and reporter of his local club; president, vice president of the county federation; and recreational leader of a local club.

I N D I A N A

Dorothy Arvidson, Tippecanoe County, has completed 56 projects during her 8 years' membership in the club. These have included baking, clothing, canning, room improvement, pig, poultry, entomology, and food preparation. On all these she has won county and State awards, and her canning placed first in the national exhibit in Chicago one year. Her collection of insects, preserved and classified, numbers over 500, and for the past 3 years she has won the State insect-identification contest. Dorothy has served in practically all the offices of her club and has 3 years of leadership work to her credit.

Maurice Musselman, Hamilton County, was enrolled in club work 7 years ago, and for 5 years he has been a local leader. He has taken an active interest in community affairs and served as secretary and treasurer of the county swine breeders association, as well as director of the State Poland China association. Maurice now owns a registered Belgian mare, 3 cows, 4 calves, 35 Shropshire ewes, and 11 hogs.

Glendon Sendmeyer, Clay County, in his 8 years of club work has completed projects in poultry, sheep, calf, corn, oats, and pigs. He has been awarded a number of interesting trips because of his excellent work, as well as many prizes and a 4-year scholarship for college. He has participated in numerous dairy, poultry, egg-judging, and feeding demonstrations in the county. Glendon served as president of his club and as chairman of various committees, and for 6 years he has acted as local leader.

Margaret Young, Marion County, has had 9 years of fun and experience as a 4-H Club member. Her completed projects include clothing, baking, canning, food preparation, and room improvement. She was grand champion of the county dress revue in 1937. For 2 years she acted as chairman of the committee to assist the judges at the county exhibit, and last year she assisted with 4-H Club exhibits at the State fair. She has had one national exhibit. Margaret has acted as assistant leader for 4 years.

I O W A

Bob Duncan, Clay County, is in his seventh year of club experience, and his chief interest has been in livestock. He has been a member of livestock-judging teams, and in 1938 was on the demonstration team at the State fair. He participates in the music, drama, and conservation clubs in his community and has helped sponsor 4-H exhibits at the county fair. Bob has filled various local and county offices, and served as State president.

Raymond Eveland, Boone County, has done excellent work in such projects as baby beef, swine, dairy cow, and corn, since he entered the club 8 years ago. He was a member of the livestock-judging team at the State fair, where he has also given demonstrations. His farm records placed in the national contest. He has been president and vice president of his local club and secretary and president of the county club.

Pearl Elaine Hass, Pottawattamie County, has had 10 years of fun and adventure as a 4-H Club member. And then there has been work to do—projects in clothing, home furnishing, and baking to be carried out; exhibits to be made up for county and State fairs; and participation in demonstrations, style shows, and club programs. Responsibilities have grown greater each year. In her local club she has been president, secretary-treasurer, and committee chairman; in the county organization, president; and in the State organization, vice president.

Dorothy Ostrander, Winnebago County, in 8 years of club work has developed outstanding qualities in leadership. She has held all the offices in her local club; has been president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer in the county; and president of the State 4-H organization. Each new responsibility has added a measure to her development into a capable and self-confident leader. Dorothy has completed projects in clothing, nutrition, home furnishing, and home efficiency. She has been in county and State demonstration competitions, and has exhibited her handiwork at State fairs with outstanding results.

K A N S A S

Dorothy Fisher, Morris County, lives on a 227-acre farm. During her 8 years in club work she has held 9 county championships in canning, junior leadership, and general home economics. For 6 years she has taken part in the county style revue, and for the same number of years has put on exhibits at State fairs. As a leadership project she helped organize a new club in the county, and in her local club she assisted the president in increasing the membership from 12 to 21. Dorothy has been president and secretary and treasurer of her local club, and president and vice president of the county council.

Lessel High, Dickinson County, now in his eleventh year of club work, has completed projects in popcorn, baby beef, corn, soft and hard wheat, oats, garden, swine, dairy, and poultry. His experiences in 4-H work have been varied and interesting, but nothing has furnished excitement equal to that caused by the tornado which struck his home in 1930. He has been a club winner in health for a number of years, and made a good showing in the best-groomed-boy contest in the county. Lessel has 5 Poland China sows and 1 boar, 100 chickens, 1 heifer, 70 acres of hard winter wheat, and over 400 trees which he has planted in his conservation work.

Lourie Shoffner, Saline County, became interested 5 years ago in a Shorthorn calf given her by her father, and has continued in baby-beef work up to the present time. She has held her own in competition with boys in this work and has won several championship awards. But her interest did not stop here. She has also done outstanding work in poultry, turkeys, swine, dairy, baking, canning, sewing, conservation, potatoes, and junior leadership. Lourie has been secretary and treasurer of her local club and secretary of the county council.

Harold Staadt, Jr., Franklin County, has had a part in many phases of 4-H Club work during his 9 years of membership. He has been interested in sheep, corn, swine, dairy, poultry, beef, and leadership, and was instrumental in securing a State-approved conservation area for his club. His efforts have also enabled him to purchase such things as a trombone, rifle, tent, and bicycle -- things dear to the heart of every American boy. Harold has filled practically all the offices in his local club, and has been secretary of the county council.

K E N T U C K Y

Lorraine Harris, Fayette County, a club member for 8 years, has completed 14 projects in clothing, foods, canning, room improvement, and poultry, and has exhibited each year at the district and State fairs. Lorraine was declared State champion in room improvement one year, and at other times county champion in the clothing style revue and district champion in foods. She was president of her local club for 3 years, vice president of the Kentucky Association of 4-H Clubs, assistant leader, and for 6 years a local leader.

Elmer McBride, Jr., Barren County, lived in a city until he was 11 years old; so when he moved to the farm and became a 4-H member his interests were widely diversified in order that he might become familiar with all phases of farm life. His 17 completed projects include corn, tobacco, garden, dairy, baby beef, hogs, and woodworking. From some of these he worked up outstanding exhibits for the fair. He has been a member of and has helped to train champion demonstration teams. In 1939 Elmer took over the management of his father's farm.

Virginia Neihof, Campbell County, during her 8 years in club work has exhibited her club products in county, State, and national shows and received numerous awards. Her 21 completed projects have included canning, foods, clothing, room improvement, garden, poultry, and dairy. As a result of her room-improvement project, a furnace and electric lights have now been installed in her home. Virginia was a member of the county champion demonstration team for 2 years, and has trained the county champion demonstration team for 2 years. She is also county recreational leader for 4-H and the homemakers.

Byron Tapp, Jr., Henderson County, lives on a 1500-acre farm where he has ample room for his baby beef and hog projects. He concentrated on beef cattle to such an extent that he has influenced his father into starting a herd of purebred Herefords. Byron has been a member of the county demonstration and livestock-judging teams, and has done leadership work. He has filled several club offices.

L O U I S I A N A

Jessie Johnson, Evangeline Parish, a 4-H Club member for 5 years, lives on a 100-acre farm, and is especially interested in livestock. His projects include beef cattle, dairy, poultry, swine, cotton, and corn. He also cooperated with his father in improving 4 acres of pasture. Jessie has won many honors on his exhibits, and in 1939 was winner of the State contest in the meat-animal project. He served for 3 years as president of his local club and for 2 years as president of the parish clubs.

Maurie Millican, East Baton Rouge Parish, has carried clothing, poultry, and health projects every year since she became a 4-H member in 1935. She won first place in the local, parish, and State fairs on her school costume, and last year she made all of her clothes. Maurie has occupied the offices of secretary-treasurer and vice president in her local club, and is now serving as vice president of the State 4-H executive council.

Jack Parker, Rapides Parish, began his club work in 1933, and although he has carried projects in corn, cane, potatoes, cotton, pigs, and calves, he has concentrated on leadership. He has done outstanding work in judging, and has won two State championships in boys' demonstration-team work. He has appeared in State and national style revues. Last year his two pigs placed first in the parish, State, and the State university stock shows. He has been president of the local, parish, and State 4-H organizations, and has also filled other offices in his club.

Mary Jean Swift, Rapides Parish, started winning prizes on her canning in 1935, her first year in club work. Since then she has broadened her program and won honors in other fields, especially in poultry work. Mary Jean has been an assistant leader for 4 years, and last year trained two junior teams. She has filled several local and parish offices in the club.

M A I N E

Ella A. Grendell, Aroostook County, has been taking prizes at county and State fairs since she made her first exhibit in 1932, at the beginning of her club career. That year she took first in the county and third in the State on canning. Since then she has done as well with her sewing, cooking, and housekeeping projects. This year she is entering the style dress revue. Ella has been president of her local club and has served as leader for 2 years.

Elwood Humason, Lincoln County, has taken first honors in gardening since he began club work 8 years ago. In 1938 he won the county championship on his beans, and last year was selected as highest ranking young farmer. He has been on teams demonstrating milk testing, soil testing, knot tying, making rope halters, and starting young plants. He has judged in local and State contests. Elwood served his club as president, secretary and treasurer, and assistant leader.

Chester Nichols, Washington County, has been in the 4-H Club 10 years, and has been judging since the very beginning. He has also taken part in several local public demonstrations and has put on numerous exhibits. His projects have been poultry, garden, dairy, potatoes, and beans. Chester has won honors in each field, and has been acclaimed county champion on numerous occasions. He has been president of his club.

Rosa Smith, Hancock County, for 8 years a club member, has done outstanding work in sewing, cooking, housekeeping, and room improvement. She has participated in style dress revues, in judging, and in demonstrations. Rosa has filled the offices of president, vice president, and secretary and treasurer of her local club.

M A R Y L A N D

Staley Hahn, Frederick County, expects his 4 years of 4-H Club experience to be of benefit to him on the farm in future years. His first project was an Ayrshire heifer, which he has shown at several fairs. Since then he has developed a swine project, and now he owns 8 purebred Duroc swine and 4 purebred Ayrshire cows. He has been secretary and vice president of his club and is now president of the senior council. Staley has also assisted in several dairy demonstrations.

Pauline Virginia House, Allegany County, began her club work 11 years ago, with interest centered on clothing, foods, and leadership. She has taken part in dress revues and has put on exhibits. Pauline was a junior leader for 2 years, and then became a local leader. She has also been president of her club.

Ray Hutchison, Talbot County, has won many honors during his 7 years of 4-H Club work. Each year he has carried a swine and a dairy project, and from profits on a tomato project he was able to purchase a purebred Guernsey heifer and bull. He has also been outstanding in work with poultry and hybrid corn. In addition to keeping an account book of his father's farm, he has kept a complete milk and feed record for each of his cows. Ray has been president of his club for 2 years. He is at present owner of 8 head of Guernsey cattle, 1 sow and 9 pigs, and 170 chickens.

Mary Tucker Lusby, Kent County, has had 8 years of experience in 4-H Club work, and has made practical use of it in her home. Among her projects have been clothing, food, home management, home furnishing, accounts, and poultry. She has assisted in style shows, has put on exhibits, and has been vice president of her club.

M A S S A C H U S E T T S

Harvey Billings, Jr., Hampshire County, began his club work in 1933 by taking over the family garden, which project he has continued throughout his 7 years as a 4-H member. In addition to his garden, he owns a flock of 300 Rhode Island Red chickens. Harvey has been active in judging and in exhibiting.

Barbara Bourne, Norfolk County, has been in club work for 6 years, during which time she has done outstanding work in food, clothing, conservation, and leadership. Besides acting as leader of a food club and of a conservation club, she has served both as president and as vice president of her club.

Gunnar Brobeck, Worcester County, has concentrated his energies on gardening during his 3 years of 4-H Club work, and his corn and potatoes are excellent examples of his efforts. He has done well in judging and also in exhibiting. Gunnar has been president, vice president, and secretary of his club.

Marion Foote, Berkshire County, started her club work in 1931 with a clothing project, and since that time she **has** carried other projects--dairy, canning, gardening, and poultry. She now owns 3 purebred Guernsey cows. At present she is conducting a clothing club composed of 9 young girls. Marion has held every office in her club.

M I C H I G A N

Frank Crandall, Calhoun County, started in club work in 1931 and has completed projects in handicraft, potatoes, corn, beef, pheasant, and farm mapping. Under his leadership the members of his potato and handicraft clubs have made good ratings at county, district, and State exhibits. The 4-H orchestra, of which he is a member, has won national recognition and played at the International Poultry Congress in Cleveland. Frank has held every office in his club.

Irma L. Preston, Branch County, is in her ninth year of 4-H work which began in a sewing club and which has included clothing, canning, food preparation, dairy, and sheep projects. In all, she has completed 30 projects. Irma was a leader for 5 years and is now an assistant leader. She has put on public demonstrations, exhibited livestock, and taken part in style revues. She is now the owner of 5 sheep and 3 cows.

Andrew M. Skaug, Delta County, became a member of the first 4-H Club organized in his community for boys, and in 1937 he took over leadership of the club. As a result of his work in handicraft, he was awarded a scholarship to the State college. He has also carried projects in gardening and farm mapping. He and his brother are managing a 120-acre farm and a 13,000-acre timber tract. At present Andrew owns a flock of 300 chickens and half interest in 100 sheep.

Blanche Trepanier, Dickinson County, interested in 4-H work since 1929, finds it affords opportunity for travel and for an ever widening circle of acquaintances. She has completed projects in dairy, clothing, and farm accounting. In 1935 she, as the county all-round club member, received a scholarship to Michigan State College. Irma has held all the offices in her club.

M I N N E S O T A

Sherwood O. Berg, Norman County, throughout his entire 10 years in 4-H Club work has specialized in poultry. Experience gained in the club helped him when it became necessary for him to assume the management of his father's hatchery. Health, forestry, and junior leadership have also been prominent on his program of club work. Sherwood has been president, reporter, secretary, and treasurer of his local club, and president and treasurer of the county organization composed of junior and adult leaders of all local clubs.

Rosella Brophy, Beltrami County, began her 9 years of club work with a poultry project. From this her interest spread to turkeys, clothing, canning, baking, and health. With a teammate she won several public demonstrations, and the experience was helpful in the leadership work toward which she was driving. She has been president and vice president of her club and has been very active in committee work.

Margaret Nelson, Douglas County, followed in her sisters' footsteps when she enrolled in a 4-H Club and took as her first project a dairy calf. Throughout her 11 years of club work she has continued to carry this project and others, such as clothing, room furnishing, canning, baking, leadership, and thrift. Her outstanding work has won for her several trips and many friends; it also was instrumental in her obtaining a position as teacher in a county school. In her local club she has served as president, vice president, treasurer, and reporter, and in the county federation as president and treasurer.

J. Culver Sackett, Olmsted County, is now completing his seventh year as a club member, during which time he has been particularly interested in raising potatoes and good dairy cattle. However, he has also done some excellent work in dairy demonstrations, farm accounting, health, safety, junior leadership, crops judging, seed corn, and has proved to his own satisfaction that girls have no monopoly in the bread-baking field. Culver has done much leadership and committee work and has served as reporter and vice president of his club.

M I S S I S S I P P I

James S. Dandridge, Tate County, has been in club work 5 years, which to him means 5 years' experience in raising baby beeves. He has also raised cotton, corn, and clover, and has set out a young orchard. James was a member of the Mississippi team in the national livestock-judging contest in 1938. He has shown his animals at county, district, and State fairs. He has held various local club offices and has served as president of three or four county clubs.

Willie Mae Gaughf, Madison County, now in her fourth year of club work, has completed projects in home improvement, foods, clothing, gardening, and canning. She has made 10 State exhibits, and numerous others for county and local fairs. She was a member of the judging and demonstration teams, and trained a team that won first in the county and State demonstration competitions. Willie Mae has served as president, vice president, reporter, secretary-treasurer, and assistant leader in her local club. She has also been active on community committees.

Elizabeth Drye McWilliams, Lauderdale County, lives on a 120-acre farm and has been a club member for 9 years. She has been active in judging and demonstration work, and has made 2 national, 12 State, and nearly 100 county exhibits. Her activities have been in gardening, canning, foods, poultry, home improvement, and clothing. Elizabeth served as president of the junior council for 4 years and has also been secretary of that organization. She has done a lot of committee work and has acted as assistant leader.

Harvey E. Nail, De Soto County, better known as "Jack," started as a club member 5 years ago. His livestock projects have been consistent winners in district and State contests. One year he was State champion in meat-animal production. He has also participated successfully in numerous livestock-judging events. Jack now owns 5 cows, 4 horses, 8 hogs, and 50 hens. He has held local and county club offices, and has served as assistant leader of his club.

M I S S O U R I

Wayne E. Buswell, Linn County, a 4-H member for 8 years, has raised livestock and exhibited it for several years. He has entered 5 interstate beef shows, and is experienced in judging and demonstrating. Wayne owns 3 horses, 10 sheep, and 11 hogs. He has served as president and vice president in his club and as recreational leader in the community. In 1937 Wayne won a State and national award in farm accounting, and was State champion 4-H meat producer in 1939.

Harold Grothoff, Cole County, has been in club work 4 years. Each year he has raised pigs successfully. Three years ago he organized a community club and has been its president every year. In 1937 he was on the State champion demonstration team. He has given five local demonstrations in livestock, and one year he showed a colt in the horse show in Jefferson City. Harold has also taken an interest in dramatics in his community.

Naomi May Lentz, Boone County, after 10 years of club work, now makes most of her clothes, and is financing her college course by a job attained through her 4-H Club activities. She has completed projects in clothing, foods, ewe and lamb, and dairy. She leads clothing groups in her community club, has filled all the offices in her local club, has been game leader in the county council, and acted as chairman of the food and program committee in the county.

Jean Agnes Norbury, Greene County, 10 years a club member, has acted as leader in dairy and poultry clubs for 4 years. She has completed projects in dairy, home improvement, entomology, farm management, pig, food and nutrition, and clothing. She has helped put on State demonstrations and dress revues, exhibited at the State fair, and one year placed first in the State judging contest in baking. Jean is now in college. She owns a cow, a heifer, and a baby calf, and has refurnished three rooms in her home.

M O N T A N A

Joe Eisenman, Stillwater County, has enjoyed being a 4-H Club member and participating in the various 4-H events for 9 years. He started as a member of a garden club and has carried 12 different projects in corn, potatoes, baby beef, swine, and poultry. His calves and hogs have won for him several awards and trips. To begin his tenth year of club work, he has an Angus cow and a 6 months old calf, 2 Poland China sows, and 1 boar. Joe has been president of a baby-beef club for 4 years.

Larry Erpelding, Rosebud County, began his 4-H Club experience 10 years ago at the age of 9. Each year he has carried a corn project and has given several public demonstrations on selection of seed corn. During the past 2 years, in addition to his corn, he has raised chickens and pheasants. Larry also organized a hillbilly band from which the members have derived much enjoyment. He has been a club leader for 4 years, and has filled several offices in his club.

Ruth M. Grainger, Roosevelt County, has been a 4-H member for 9 years, beginning in a club of Indian girls. Her projects have included clothing, handicraft, poultry, gardening, and food preparation. She has participated in several judging contests, and has exhibited her clothing for 3 years at the State fair. She takes great pride in her turkeys and chickens, her 25 head of cattle, and 4 horses. Ruth has been president of 5 clubs, secretary and treasurer of 3, and news reporter for 6 clubs.

Helen Grimes, Cascade County, joined her first 4-H Club 9 years ago. She has completed 11 projects, including clothing, food preparation, canning, and room improvement. Since 1937 she has been assistant leader of 3 clubs and leader of 1. This year Helen, with the assistance of her sister, is leading a foods-preservation club. She and her sister do all the canning for 2 ranches and their own home, and can enough meat to supply 5 sheep camps. Besides this, Helen makes many of her own clothes and does a share of the home cooking. She has been president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and reporter of her club.

N E B R A S K A

Thomas Armstrong, Deuel County, in his 10 years of club work has specialized in baby beef. He has exhibited his cattle at county and national shows and his sheep and hogs at county fairs, and has had experience in judging. On the 480-acre farm on which he lives, there are 14 head of cattle, 4 horses, 15 hogs, and about 30 Chinese elm trees that belong to Thomas. He has served his club as assistant and local leader and as president and vice president, and has also worked on county committees.

Minta Carol Fischer, Richardson County, a club member for 7 years and local leader for 2 years, lives on a 120-acre farm, has done judging in canning and meat identification, has participated in demonstrations and style revues, and has won awards on several State exhibits. She was awarded a trip to a conservation camp as a result of her wildlife work. She has put her experience to use in improving the looks of her home and yard. She has 50 chickens, 2 sows, and some furniture, and has served in all the club offices.

Robert Hill, Thayer County, has served as local leader during 4 of his 7 years' membership in the club. He gave demonstrations in rope, poultry, and conservation clubs. He has judged, has helped to train judging teams, and has assisted with the booth at the State fair for the last 3 years. He had a record of 100 percent achievement in his farm accounts for 1938. As teacher in a rural school he has interested his pupils in 4-H work, and his work in conservation and forestry is outstanding.

Elsie Tomick, Kimball County, outstanding in the 4-H Club for 8 years, has acted as assistant local leader for 3 years and as local leader for 3 years. Her enterprises are surprisingly varied in character. They are cooking, room improvement and sewing, sheep and baby beef, potatoes, forestry, and farm accounts. She has participated in judging, demonstrations, and style shows. She has prepared exhibits for State fairs, and has been health champion for 4 years. She has 50 forestry posters. Elsie has filled all the club offices.

N E W H A M P S H I R E

Daniel W. Harvey, Rockingham County, has a boundless enthusiasm for 4-H Club work after 10 years as a member. He has completed projects in leadership, garden, pig, forestry, shop, and poultry. Altogether he has planted 150 apple trees and 4,000 other trees. He definitely expects to remain on the farm and is working into the management of his father's farm of 1,100 acres. Daniel is learning aviation, and in his shop project he designed and built a large model airplane. He has been president, vice president, and assistant leader of his club and chairman of the exhibit committee at the county fair.

Muriel Ide, Cheshire County, was enrolled in club work in 1929. In the past 10 years she has done outstanding work in leadership, health, room improvement, forestry, foods, and clothing. She has given demonstrations, has won second place in the State on a judging team, and has helped to put on 4-H plays. She served as president, vice president, and secretary, and as Youth Extension social chairman in the Club.

Steven King, Sullivan County, has completed about 26 projects in 8 years of club work. In forestry he has collected and mounted 52 different kinds of wood. In handicraft he built a two-story poultry house and made useful home furnishings. He expects to pay part of his college expenses from his poultry project. He acted as assistant leader for 4 years and leader for 1 year. Last year he raised the family garden, did leadership work in two 4-H Clubs, and in his poultry project stood highest in egg production for seniors. Steven has served his club in the capacity of president, vice president, and secretary.

Marion L. Provencher, Merrimack County, 7 years a club member, has been in the county dress revue for 3 years and was in the State revue last year. Two years ago she was on the senior county canning-judging team. She has studied landscaping, clothing, canning, forestry, foods, room improvement, and leadership. Last year she was chosen county delegate to the State youth institute. Marion was president and secretary and treasurer of her local club before becoming junior leader.

N E W J E R S E Y

Ruth C. Beatty, Warren County, was enrolled in her first club work 9 years ago. She has completed projects in sewing, forestry, and dairy. Her clothing exhibits have been shown at the State fair, and for 5 years she has shown her animals in various county fairs and at the New Jersey State Fair. She has been an assistant leader for 2 years, in 1938 was local leader of a group of 10 girls, and is at present the leader of a community club at Trenton. She has occupied several offices in her local club.

Wm. H. V. Davis, Somerset County, has raised cattle and kept records on them during the 9 years he has been a member of the 4-H Club. He has competed in numerous judging and showmanship contests. Last year he won the meritorious production award for having the highest butterfat-producing animal in the State. William has 7 purebred Holsteins now. He has served as chairman on a number of committees in his local club as well as in the county, and was president and secretary in his local club.

William M. Patterson, Monmouth County, has been a 4-H Club member for 12 years. For the first 4 years he carried poultry as his major project; then he changed over to dairying. At present he has 6 head of cattle, 30 hens, and 300 baby chicks. From his club earnings, William has purchased his own clothing for the past few years. He has always exhibited either poultry or cattle at the State fair. He was on the county judging team 2 years. He has been president, vice president, and treasurer of his club, and is a member of the 4-H council.

Lillian Tindall, Mercer County, began club work in 1930, and each year has exhibited dairy cattle and flowers at the county and State fairs. She has won prizes for the best showmanship of dairy animals at both county and State fairs. Lillian has filled various offices in dairy and flower clubs, was secretary and treasurer of the county 4-H leaders association, and vice president of the county 4-H youth forum. She now owns 6 head of cattle, and has the use of a plot of ground for her flowers.

N E W M E X I C O

Vernon D. Hall, Harding County, started his club experience with a bean project in 1934. Each year since that time he has carried additional work in other fields. He has represented his county in the State livestock-judging contest, and has been awarded medals and plaques for outstanding club work. He has been president of a livestock club and vice president and assistant leader of his local club.

Billy Utton, San Juan County, who finds living on a farm both profitable and interesting, gives the 4-H Club credit for making it better. He has been in club work for 3 years, during which time his interest has been chiefly in poultry, popcorn, and sorghum. He is an assistant leader and has been vice president, secretary and treasurer of his local club, and vice president of the county council.

Lillie Rae York, Roosevelt County, has learned many useful things during her 5 years of Club work. She has been in dress revues, has put on several exhibits, and has given many public demonstrations. Lillie Rae now owns 50 hens, 2 calves, 1 pig, and home furnishings and clothing as a result of her club work. She has been president of her club and a local leader.

Helen Zartman, Bernalillo County, in her 8 years of 4-H Club work has completed 21 projects, including sewing, cooking, canning, poultry, home improvement, and farm records. She has assisted in demonstrations, dress revues, and has received a number of awards on her exhibits. This year she is assistant leader in her club. She has filled all the offices in her club.

N E W Y O R K

Eloise Clor, Wyoming County, has done worth-while work in home furnishing since she became a club member at the age of 10. She has given demonstrations in room improvement, good grooming, baking and canning; has taken part in several community plays; and has been much interested in forestry. During 3 years as assistant leader and colcader of her home-making club she has taught such projects as new ways of using milk, giving a party, smaller furnishings, home-made or remodeled furniture, and room arrangement. In addition to her leadership work, Eloise has served as president, vice president, and secretary and treasurer of her club, and has taken an active part in affairs about town.

David Landers, Chenango County, has gained a rich fund of experience in gardening and poultry raising during his 9 years of club work, and has put on many outstanding exhibits at fairs. He has served as vice president of the county club, consisting of about 1,200 members, for 2 years, and is now leader of a club of 16 boys and girls. Besides all his other activities, David has found time for many trips with the 4-H band, playing at fairs and on other occasions.

Francis Marrer, Broome County, in his 9 years of club work has conducted 17 projects, among which were forestry, gardening, poultry, potato, and dairy. He has been a high scorer in health, wood chopping, and in potato and dairy judging. Francis has served as president, treasurer, and cheer leader of his club.

Ruth Van Patten, Albany County, began her club life in 1929, and during these past 10 years she has been as enthusiastic in her work as in her play. She has done project work in baking, canning, sewing, and recreation. Her canned fruits and vegetables and her cakes and breads have given the family a better diet, and the sewing has helped solve her clothing problem. Ruth has held every office in her club.

N O R T H C A R O L I N A

Margaret E. Ellis, Durham County, became interested in 4-H work at an early age, and has been a member for 9 years. She has persevered in her room-improvement work, having made over her own room and papered two others. She did some painting on the inside of the house, painted the outside of the house, and underpinned it. She has been instrumental in beautifying the home grounds and in building a playground for her younger brothers and sisters. The surplus vegetables, eggs, fruits, and chickens from the farm have gone to a curb market each year. She has a garden of her own and has taken care of the chickens for 7 years. Margaret is president of the State 4-H Club this year.

Rudolph Ellis, Cumberland County, has, in his 4 years of membership, learned to make the most from the little that is provided. In 1936 he planted an acre in peanuts. Careful cultivation gave him a good yield. From this beginning he built up a small but thriving business in roasted and salted peanuts and potato chips, with equipment valued at nearly \$800. He has half interest in an automobile which is used for delivery of his products. He was a member of the demonstration team on home beautification at the State short course. Rudolph occupied the offices of president, vice president, and secretary in his local club, and secretary and treasurer in the county council.

Alfred L. Greene, Durham County, finds that his 9 years as a 4-H member have been full of fun and profit. Club work has afforded him many trips, much pleasure, and has assisted in buying his clothes and paying his school expenses. His projects have included pigs, poultry, corn, and garden. He has given demonstrations, led recreational groups, and served as president of his club. He has also assisted with exhibits at the State fair.

Sue Parker, Jones County, during her 6 years' membership in the 4-H Club gave demonstrations in wildlife conservation, placed several times in dress revues, and occupied the offices of president, vice president, and secretary in her local club. She has been county health queen and is now leader of a group of junior boys. She has a scrapbook containing a leaf from nearly every tree, shrub, wild flower, and cover crop in her county, with its common and scientific name and economic importance. Her other activities have been in home beautification, room improvement, handicraft, foods and nutrition, canning, rural electrification, and clothing.

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N O R T H D A K O T A

Fern Allan, Benson County, lives on a 700-acre farm and for the past 9 years has been an enterprising 4-H Club member. As State canning champion in 1937, she won a trip to Chicago. She has given numerous demonstrations and has exhibited her products in State fairs with excellent results. She has planted 250 trees and many flowers, furnished 2 rooms, and acquired 4 head of livestock through her club work. Fern has acted as assistant leader, president, and secretary and treasurer of her local club.

Blanche Carlson, Grand Forks County, became a club member in 1931, and has carried on an extensive conservation program. Her interest in clothing, foods, and home furnishing has been of practical use in her home, where she has been in charge for 3 years. Each year she has exhibited at the State or district fair, and last year she put on a demonstration with her sister at the State fair. Blanche has held all the offices in her club.

Arnold Maier, Oliver County, has been a club member for 6 years and has engaged in producing corn, swine, and beef. He exhibited his calves and corn at State fairs and was outstanding in showmanship. He acted as assistant to the county agent in 4-H livestock judging, superintendent of swine on achievement day, and as superintendent of a swine club. He also filled various offices in his club. Arnold has partnership in his father's farm and owns a purebred Angus cow, 2 purebred gilts, and 2 steers.

Winston Markegard, Adams County, first undertook 4-H Club work 8 years ago. Corn, swine, and sheep have been his major projects, and results of these enterprises have been exhibited at the State fair for several years. He has taken several trips in connection with his club work. Also worthy of note is his grove of 1,000 trees planted in 1938 and 1939. He has 3 sows, 28 pigs, and a sheep. He was president and vice president of his local club and a member of the county council for 2 years.

O H I O

Kimsey P. Bell, Columbiana County, in 9 years of club work has completed projects in potato, sheep, rope, woodwork, garden, and pigs. He has made footstools and other small items for his home in his woodwork, learned to make the different knots in the rope project, and raised vegetables, potatoes and pigs both for home consumption and for market. Kimsey has been secretary and treasurer of his club and acted as devotional and recreational leader.

Robert Dale Kasper, Union County, is a senior in high school this year, which marks his seventh in 4-H Club work. His projects include pig, dairy, farm engineering, and steer feeding. Last year he won a trophy in dairy judging, and was awarded medals in team demonstrations. He has been president, vice president, reporter, and recreational leader in his club. Robert owns a cow, 3 heifers, a calf, and 4 steers.

Louise Salzgeber, Franklin County, became interested in 4-H activities 7 years ago. Her projects have been clothing, nutrition, and art appreciation and color harmonizing. She has entered a local style show every year with the club, and has given demonstrations at county and State fairs. She makes and sells corsages and bouquets, proceeds from which have been used to buy a typewriter. Louise has been recreational leader in her club for 4 years, and has served as president and acted as chairman of various committees.

Dorothea Louise Zimmerman, Seneca County, has been in 4-H Club work for 7 years, during which time she has given demonstrations at both county and State fairs. She completed projects in nutrition, clothing, flower garden, and good grooming. All the offices in her club have been filled by her at some time. She has been chairman of numerous club committees, in addition to her participation in varied community activities.

O K L A H O M A

Betty Jo Etchison, Payne County, now in her ninth year of club work, has carried clothing as her major project. She has judged all phases of girls' work and poultry in county, district, and State contest. She was State champion in the home-improvement demonstration contest one year, and was first in the State appropriate-dress revue and national champion in girls' style dress revue in Chicago in 1939. Betty Jo has been vice president of her club and chairman of a number of local committees, and secretary and song leader of the county federation.

Mildred Lindon, Choctaw County, has been a 4-H Club girl for 7 years, and has an outstanding record in canning and leadership. In addition to her regular home economics projects she has carried poultry and gardening. She has participated in several dress revues, placing first in the silk-dress class in 1939. She has entered numerous State exhibits and has won several trips for her achievements. She served her club as president, secretary, project captain, and song leader.

Marcus Nash, Jefferson County, has been a member of the 4-H Club for 7 years. During that time he has been a consistent exhibitor at county, district, and State fairs and livestock shows. He has given 23 demonstrations and participated in a number of judging contests. As a result of his project work he now has 4 head of cattle, 14 hogs, 2 calves, and 240 chickens. Marcus was president, vice president, and secretary of his local club and is now vice president of the southwest district.

Wayne Thorndyke, Alfalfa County, has done outstanding 4-H Club work for 7 years, completing 91 projects. His record in judging, demonstrations, showmanship, and exhibits is a long list of first and second awards and grand championships. He and his mother operate their 160-acre farm. Wayne has filled all his local club offices and served as president of the county 4-H federation. He is now vice president of the northwest district federation.

P E N N S Y L V A N I A

Edward A. Curtis, Wayne County, has used his 6 years in club work to good advantage. His corn, strawberries, potatoes, and capons have made outstanding exhibits. He conducted fertilizer tests and gave a report on the results at the annual county extension meeting. Edward has a quarter of an acre in strawberries, 400 chickens, seed corn and potatoes for new plantings, and several head of dairy cattle. He was president of his club for 5 years and local leader for 1 year.

Lila Giesmann, Mercer County, has been a 4-H member for 6 years, with sewing, canning, and room improvement as her major projects. She is able to make many of her own clothes from training received in the club. She is a high scorer in the State room-improvement judging, and has shown her dresses in State exhibits. Lila has been song and game leader, reporter, secretary, and president in her club.

Lawrence Marburger, Butler County, has devoted his 9 years of club membership to raising high grade sweet corn, strawberries, poultry, baby beef, and pigs. He has participated in livestock judging at the county fair, and was awarded a trip to club week at the State college for high scoring. He has had several years' experience in showing baby beef and capons in State exhibits. He served as president, secretary, treasurer, and news reporter of his club.

Helen Jane Mummert, York County, a club member of 6 years' standing, has learned many useful things from her projects which have included sewing, baking, room improvement, and canning. Products from all these projects have been exhibited by Helen at the State farm show. She has at various times been president, secretary and treasurer, reporter, and game leader in her club.

P U E R T O R I C O

Israel Rivera Cordova, Toa Alta, has been in club work 4 years, and is carrying out on his father's farm the many excellent practices learned in club work. He enjoys any work connected with agriculture. His projects have included tobacco, plantain, and sweet corn. He has received several awards on exhibits of his products. He served as chairman of the club during the entire 4 years.

Roberto Ramos, Vega Baja, became a 4-H member when a club was organized in his community 4 years ago, and has served as secretary and assistant leader. His first project was a tenth acre of yams. Since then he has added hogs, sugarcane, and cassava. He has given demonstrations in sweetpotato selection and in ornamental plants, and has exhibited his cane and cassava with interesting results. He has also been president of his club and president of the cooperative 4-H Club bank.

Luz Angelica Vargas, Aquadilla, has divided her interest, since becoming a club member in 1937, among such projects as clothing, home improvement, poultry, and pigs. Her enthusiasm in the work of beautifying her home has spread to other members of the family and enlisted their cooperation. Her judging activities and exhibits of her handiwork have won for her numerous awards. She is now president of her club.

Ida Margarita Reboyras, Utuado, visited an agricultural fair in 1938 and was so much interested in the 4-H Club work on exhibit there that she became a club member herself. In her $2\frac{1}{2}$ years of membership she has completed 4 years' work. Her activities have included sewing, canning, raising rabbits, crotcheting and embroidery, and room improvement. She has exhibited articles at the State fair, achievement days, and at the short course, and has taken part in several demonstrations of club work.

R H O D E I S L A N D

Gustaf Anderson, Jr., Kent County, an outstanding 4-H Club member for the past 7 years, has been dairy showmanship champion at the State fair, and held top honors in the laying-record contest for the last 2 years. With his brother he put on a winning demonstration in poultry dressing, and the two of them have built an up-to-date poultry house with cow barn attached. His other interests include handicraft and leadership. Gustaf has 163 laying hens, 250 baby chicks, and a cow. He has served as vice president of his local club.

Leland Brackett, Newport County, entered 4-H Club work at the age of 9, and a year later he was elected secretary of his club. He helped organize a 4-H insect club which has been active in ridding the neighborhood of caterpillars and in spreading information on insect control. His activities also include demonstrations, judging, exhibits, and leadership in conservation work. Leland is president of the county council and has filled several local club offices.

Frances Peckham, Washington County, in her 6 years of club work has taken part in about 36 demonstrations and 4 dress revues. She specialized in foods, clothing, and leadership, and started a club in her own town in 1939. Frances has been president, secretary, and treasurer of her club.

Elodie J. Shepard, Providence County, a club member of 3 years' standing, has divided her time among food, clothing, and handicraft. A dress made by her from cloth which she block-printed has been exhibited several times, and she has given demonstrations in the art of block printing at Camp Vail. Elodie is now leader of a club composed of 10 young girls, all of whom are making rapid progress in 4-H Club work.

S O U T H C A R O L I N A

Gwendolyn Carter, Florence County, has been connected with 4-H Club work for 9 years, and finds the training received to be of great value in her everyday life. She has studied room improvement, poultry, canning, clothing, food, nutrition, and health. She has given three public demonstrations, competed in several dress revues, and put on three canning exhibits at the State fair. Gwendolyn acted as assistant leader for several years and as leader for the past 2 years. She has been president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and head of committee work in her local club.

Johnston Lee Crapse, Hampton County, has been a 4-H Club member since 1933 and an officer in his club for 4 years. For 2 years he has acted as local leader and served as president of his county 4-H council. He has also been responsible for the county 4-H publication. His record shows that he has grown cotton, potatoes, and swine in his club work. He believes that through club leadership his community has learned of the relation of farming and homemaking to economic security, and of the real joy to be derived from work well done.

Margaret Eargle, Richland County, began her 4-H Club work 8 years ago. Poultry has been her chief interest for the majority of those years. She is an authority on wildlife conservation, and has a collection of about 800 insects. One year she assisted the entomologist in the conservation camp. Margaret has served as president, vice president and secretary both in her 4-H Club and in the older youth group.

Paul Flowers, Darlington County, has submitted 32 completed records in corn, cotton, tobacco, potatoes, poultry, swine, and beef demonstrations during his 10 years in the 4-H Club. Every year except one of those 10 he has been an officer in his club. For 2 years he acted as assistant leader, and last year he served as leader. Paul feels that his club work has been a success because he has always gotten more out of his projects than he put into them. He is now chairman of a group of 4-H local leaders representing several counties.

S O U T H D A K O T A

Arla Bakke, Lake County, has exhibited her work at county and State fairs each of the 6 years during which she has been a member of the 4-H Club. She plans and makes practically all her clothing, and has participated successfully in style revues and in judging contests. Home furnishing, canning, meal planning, and conservation have received a share of her attention. Arla has occupied several club offices and is now leader of a club with 14 members.

Norma R. Cranston, Beadle County, became a 4-H member 9 years ago. Each year of club work has produced something worthy of exhibiting in handicraft, clothing, and foods. She represented her county at the State achievement meeting held during State fair week, and gave a 4-H demonstration at each session. Among her other interests are canning, health, music appreciation, wildlife conservation, and poultry. She has filled all offices in her club as well as those in the county council.

Merlin Hodgson, Jerauld County, lives on a 320-acre farm and for 5 years has been a 4-H Club member. His major project has been swine, and from this he has stocked his farm with purebred pigs. Some of his profits from the pigs have been invested in cattle. He now owns 7 hogs and 3 cows. One year Merlin had an exhibit at the State fair, and for the past 3 years he has been a member of a high-ranking judging team. He served as president of his club and of the county 4-H organization.

Harold E. Lindblad, Union County, is now in his eighth year as a 4-H member. His corn and baby beef have been consistent blue-ribbon winners at the State fair. He exhibited the best 10-ear sample of corn at the State fair in 1937, and the following year he won the county baby-beef championship. He has carried on a conservation program that included tree planting, soil-erosion control, and weed eradication. He has filled all the offices in his local clubs.

T E N N E S S E E

George Baugus, Gibson County, has been a club member for 6 years, specializing in cotton, corn, and swine. He has served as chairman of the county rally for 4 years, as assistant leader for 3 years, and as president of his local club for 5 years.

Donald Curton, Rhea County, chose corn, potatoes, swine, baby beef, dairy, and poultry as his projects. He has been a club member for 5 years, and has served as president of the club during all that time. He has participated in several judging and demonstration contests, and won a wildlife-conservation contest last year. Donald has been a leader for 3 years and is now president of the county 4-H organization.

Wilmuth Dowlen, Montgomery County, became a 4-H Club member in 1932, and started out with a very ambitious program which she has completed each year. Her activities have included foods, clothing, canning, health, gardening, and poultry, and in addition she lent a hand in improving the yard and the home. Wilmuth has put on many exhibits at county and State fairs, has given demonstrations, and has done leadership work among the younger girls. She has served in every office in her club.

Lois Oliver, Sullivan County, chose gardening as her first club work 6 years ago, beginning with a very small plot. Today she plans the entire family garden, makes her own clothes, raises chickens on a profitable basis, and wins prizes on her canning. As a result of her efforts the yard about her home has been enlarged and unsightly spots have been removed. Lois feels that the self-confidence she has gained through club work has in itself compensated for all the effort expended, aside from all the other things she has learned. As president this year, Lois is holding her third club office.

T E X A S

Kenneth D. Garvin, Ellis County, during his 5 years of membership in a 4-H Club has completed over 20 projects in cotton, corn, dairy cows, swine, turkeys, and chickens. He has assisted in health demonstrations and has exhibited his cotton, turkeys, and chickens at the State fair. He was awarded a scholarship to the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas as the result of his cattle judging. He owns 5 cows, 1 gilt, 75 hens, and 22 turkeys. Kenneth has served as president, vice president, and reporter of his club, and as assistant local leader during the past year.

Ouida Johnston, Fisher County, gets the cooperation of her entire family in putting into practice the things learned during her 7 years in 4-H Club work. She makes practically all her clothes, and has improved the home by building closets and rearranging and refinishing furniture. Ouida has assisted in setting out an orchard, in gardening and canning, and in raising poultry. She has given demonstrations in good grooming, has exhibited clothing, has sponsored a junior club, and has filled several offices in her local club.

Lezette Lodell Lewis, Ellis County, joined a 4-H Club 4 years ago. Since then she has interested her entire family in the work with the result that the house has been completely made over, many modern conveniences have been installed, and the yard has been improved. Lezotte makes all her own clothes and part of those of the family, and preparing breakfast and supper is one of her duties in the family daily schedule. She has made considerable profit from her poultry and gardening projects, and has won several trips from her efforts. Lezotte has served as president, vice president, secretary and treasurer, and reporter of her club.

Donald Olson, Randall County, who lives on a 1,280-acre farm, has enjoyed 7 years of 4-H Club work, and feels it has been excellent training for the responsibilities he will have to face in the future on the farm. Although he has specialized in cattle, his feed-crops, poultry, and swine projects have contributed much to his experiences and profits. He has exhibited one or more of his calves each year. He now owns 6 Hereford cows, 2 heifers, 2 steers, 4 calves, and 5 pigs. Donald has held several offices in his club and has been active in committee work.

V E R M O N T

Mary Aiken, Lamoille County, in her 7 years of club work has carried clothing, foods, room-improvement, and leadership projects. She has done good work in canning and foods judging, has given demonstrations at fairs, and for 3 years has been leader of a club. Mary has been president and vice president of her club.

Robert Clifton Highter, Addison County, throughout his 7 years of club work has been especially interested in judging and showmanship, and has represented his county several years at the State judging contest. He has had both registered Holsteins and Jerseys in his work, and at present owns three purebred cows, two yearlings, and two calves. He has been successful in keeping record books and has carried dairy projects every year and a pasture-improvement project for 2 years. Robert has filled every office in his club.

Rebecca Newton, Franklin County, has been an energetic club member for 7 years during which time she has completed projects in sewing, cooking, leadership, poultry, and room improvement. For her leadership project she took full charge of room improvement, a job which kept her busy learning the subject and passing it on to the others. Rebecca has put on exhibits and has participated in State dress revues. She is the owner of a registered Jersey cow.

Fred C. Webster, Orange County, has completed nearly 8 years of 4-H Club work, during which time his garden project has been his chief interest, with squash his specialty. Forestry, dairying, farm accounting, and room improvement have also been given a share of his attention. Fred now owns a registered Jersey cow and plans to get another soon. He has kept accounts for his father's farm, has participated in cattle judging, and has done demonstration work. In his club he has served as news reporter, vice president, and president.

V I R G I N I A

Elvin Caldwell, Appomattox County, started his 4-H Club career in 1934 with a poultry project. This he has continued each year, and has added others, such as cow and calf, corn, garden, and wildlife. As a member of the dairy demonstration team he won a trip to the National Dairy Show in Columbus, Ohio. He has exhibited and judged poultry at the State fair. Elvin has been president and vice president in both the local club and the county council, and chairman of the program and finance committees.

Parker Cousins, Dinwiddie County, a club member for 9 years, became interested in poultry while assisting his mother in the care of her flock. The two of them together built up the flock into a paying proposition. Parker has made 120 exhibits, has judged at fairs, and has given a number of local demonstrations. He took part in the State dress revue 2 years. He has 175 chickens and 370 baby chicks. He was president and vice president of his club, and treasurer of the county council.

Velma Webb, Carroll County, has specialized in sewing, cooking, and room improvement during her 6 years as a club member. She has made the most of her opportunities through club work, and greets each new phase of the work with enthusiasm. Velma has given 18 single demonstrations and assisted with others. She is also interested in conservation. She has served in many local offices and is president of the county council this year.

Elizabeth White, Mecklenburg County, has been in club work for 8 years. Her major projects have been foods, clothing, canning, room improvement, and yard improvement. She has been an outstanding leader in her local club and in county organizations, and has helped to educate her community to the value of 4-H Club work. She has participated in clothing judging and in cooking demonstrations, and has entered dresses and canned products in State contests.

W A S H I N G T O N

Donald R. Fenton, Clark County, has been in club work for 4 years, and has completed projects in swine, dairy, pheasant, poultry, game propagation, and corn. Each year he has put on exhibits of some of his work and won awards both in showmanship and in judging. He is at present the owner of 12 hogs, 10 head of cattle, and 65 turkeys. Don is assistant leader of the dairy club and leader of a new corn club. He has been president of his local club and also of the community club.

Virginia Graham, Whitman County, has learned many useful things since becoming a club member 8 years ago. Her club work began with sewing when she was 10 years old, and has included canning, room improvement, meal preparation, care of honeybees, and home efficiency. She has assisted in public demonstrations in jelly making, egg cookery, and biscuit making; has participated in meat-judging and meat-identification contests; and has appeared in style revues. She has been a local leader and an assistant leader, and president, vice president, secretary, and reporter of her local club, as well as president and secretary of both county and State organizations.

Donald L. Hill, Lewis County, has specialized in dairy cattle during his 9 years of club work, and for 2 years has studied meat judging. After competing and winning in contests a maximum number of times, he was chosen as instructor to train the junior dairy team, which proved to be a winner. Donald has been president of his local club for 4 years and assistant leader for 3 years.

Elaine Peterson, Grays Harbor County, has had 8 years' experience in canning, sewing, and cooking. She has exhibited clothing and canned goods at the State fair for 3 years and has won a number of prizes. Elaine has been the leader of her club for 4 years and has helped to organize a 4-H Club for boys in her community. She has been president, vice president, secretary, and treasurer of her local club; president of the county 4-H organization; State vice president; and president of her district.

W E S T V I R G I N I A

Olin C. Adamson, Pendleton County, has been active in club work for 9 years. He has raised purebred sheep and pigs and carried a potato project, winning many first place honors for his achievements in these three fields of endeavor. He was a member of the winning livestock-judging team in the regional contest for 2 years, gave demonstrations at the county camp, and helped with the ropemaking demonstration at the county fair. He was county health champion for 2 years, and represented the county in the boys' dress-up contest at the State camp.

Martha Allen, Wetzel County, in 10 years in club work has completed projects in sewing, baking, meal planning, journalism, and room improvement. She won the regional demonstration contest for 3 years, was first in the State contest in 1937, and won a trip to the national dairy show at Columbus where she placed seventh. Martha has filled all the offices in her club and has acted as president and secretary of the county senior council, and as chairman of the demonstration committee for the regional fair.

Ruth Brown, Upshur County, is now in her tenth year of club work. She had the grand champion cow at the State dairy show in 1937, and was a member of the State champion dairy-demonstration team which placed in the national show the same year. In 1933 she won a medal in the international canning contest. Ruth has served as president, vice president, secretary, and reporter of her club. She was assistant leader for 6 years and is now local leader. She is also vice president of the county 4-H leaders association.

Richard Fleek, Mineral County, has done outstanding work as a club member for 7 years. He has done judging at regional fairs in livestock, poultry, and crops and has given demonstrations on care of clothing, courtesy, tree planting, and soil conservation. For 2 years he had meat exhibits at the State fair. In 1938 he had the grand champion ham. He occupied the offices of president, vice president, and treasurer in his local club, and president and vice president in the county 4-H council.

W I S C O N S I N

Doris Gronning, Vernon County, has specialized in foods and nutrition, yard improvement, clothing, baking, and junior leadership during her 10 years of membership in the 4-H Club. For the past 4 years she has been leader of her club. Doris won a trip to the State fair in 1938 as foods judge, and has made several other trips in connection with the club work.

Verna Jandt, Marinette County, is now in her eleventh year of club work and her fifth year of leadership. Among her projects have been clothing, garden, foods, and food preservation. She has given public demonstrations, won a trip to four State judging contests, and her wool suit placed first in the national clothing exhibit. Besides filling local club offices, she has served as chairman of the county booth committee.

Wallace H. Kleinhans, Sheboygan County, has 5 years of club work behind him, years of hard work and great pleasure. He has participated extensively in judging and demonstrations, won a champion showmanship at the Wisconsin international, helped put on outstanding State exhibits, and earned several interesting trips. Wallace was president of the county honor society, and has been a local leader for 3 years. He has planted 1,700 seedlings and has raised certified barley seed. He owns 18 hogs, all purebreds.

Melvin Martin, Fond du Lac County, has been a club member for 9 years, and has completed projects in potato, corn, poultry, livestock, handicraft, and junior leadership. His record books on leadership were entered in the national contest. For several years he had the outstanding boys' junior leadership record in the county, and in the State for the past 2 years. Melvin has exhibited his cattle at the State fair. He has held local and State club offices, and next year will serve as president of the State 4-H Clubs.

W Y O M I N G

June Blunck, Platte County, in her 8 years of club work has prepared 17 State exhibits, has given county and State demonstrations, and has participated in county and interstate judging contests. One year she was chosen county champion in home-economics records, and the next year her records won for her a trip to Denver. She has been president, secretary, song leader, and reporter in her club.

Eva Pearl Kurtz, Fremont County, in 4 years of club work has gained valuable experience in sewing, cooking, speechmaking, demonstrating, and in teaching younger club members. Her major interests have been clothing and foods, with wildlife conservation and dramatics carried on the side. She has exhibited her baking, canning, and clothing at the State fair. She took an active part in raising money to send members to the club camp. Eva has filled all the offices in her local club.

Dale E. Stiles, Goshen County, has found his 8 years of club work to be both educational and profitable financially. He lives on a 3,200-acre ranch and has 13 head of purebred cattle, 7 baby beeves, 2 swine, and 2 horses. He has shown his baby beeves many times, judged cattle and sheep, and given demonstrations. He has been awarded many trips on his outstanding work. Dale has occupied several offices in his local club and been very active in community affairs. He served as president of the community club.

Gail Wright, Park County, became interested in 4-H Club work 7 years ago, beginning with a dairy calf. He has raised and exhibited prize-winning turkeys, and one year he won the State poultry-record contest. In 1938 he took over leadership of his garden club, and all the members completed their projects. He placed first for 2 years in the county livestock-judging contest. For the past 2 years he has been managing his father's farm. Gail was secretary of the county leaders in 1939, and has served as president and secretary in his local club.

